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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR § 1.116

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Dear Sir:

This amendment is being filed in response to the Final Office Action mailed July 20, 2006, having a reply due date of October 20, 2006. Reconsideration and reexamination are respectfully requested in light of the amendments and remarks below.

This Amendment is believed to be timely submitted. It is believed that no fee is due; however, in the event a fee is required, please charge the fee to Deposit Account No. 13-3723.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.